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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant submits a Preliminary Amendment in response to the Advisory Action mailed January 07, 2008, in the above-named case.

A Listing of the Claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin at page 5.

Applicant does not believe that filing of this Amendment will incur additional fees. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due to the Glenn Patent Group Deposit Account No. 07-1445, Customer No. 22862. Applicant considers this document to be filed in a timely manner.